

FY2015 CHNA&HIP Progress Report

Jackson County

Community Health Improvement Plan

GOAL	Strategies	Progress on Strategies
Build a publicly owned sewer and treatment system in Leisure Lake area to be completed by 12/31/2012.	Obtain land for treatment site	completed
	Obtain financing for the building of the sewer and treatment system through USDA and Rural Development	This was accomplished on 12/21/11 with Senator Harkin's announcement.
	Obtain bids for construction	completed
	Complete construction of project	
		Collection system completed 2013
		lagoons completed 2013
		160 grinder pump stations installed in 2013
		160 homes connected 2013
		Total of 310 homes hooked up with several additional ones to be hooked up this spring

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Increase awareness within the community of suicide prevention strategies. Measure effectiveness by decreasing the percentage by 2% of school students answering "yes" to the question "In the last 12 months, did you make a plan about how you would commit suicide?" Measurement will be taken from 2012 Youth Survey.		Jackson County feels that the goal was met, on the 2012 youth survey the measurement saw a reduction of 8% from 15 to 7%
	Obtain free flyers to be distributed at the schools regarding suicide prevention.	Maquoketa High School Club Hope organized and completed a 5K walk run with a focus on increasing awareness of suicide. Event held August 2013 and a Facebook link was created to youarenotalone.
	Contact local individual who has experienced the loss of a child and currently gives local presentations to come to area schools and give a presentation to the students.	Ongoing information related to Suicide Prevention is discussed within school system in Health Education classes. High School guidance counselors are continuing to work on suicide prevention

	Participate in Yellow Ribbon week in 2011	Goal evaluation results of the Iowa Youth Survey in 2012 are very favorable to the goal of decreasing by 2% the percentage of school students answering "yes" to the question "In the last 12 months have you made a plan about how you would attempt suicide?" The comparison group used was 11 graders. Survey results in 2010 showed 15% answering "yes" and the survey results in 2012 show 7% answering "yes" thus resulting in an 8% decrease.
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<p>Show a 5% increase in the number of 11th graders who report no alcohol consumption in the last 30 days on the next Iowa Youth Survey (2012-2013).</p>	<p>Re-establish SAFE Coalition to address substance abuse in the county. First meeting to be scheduled and further planning thereafter</p>	<p>The Iowa Youth Survey for Jackson County shows 2012 40% of 11th graders had consumed alcohol in the last 30 days, 2014 showed 38%. Jackson County had a binge drinking grant for 3 years and helped to fund some of the activities and goals. Goal will be continued with limited funding.</p>
		<p>Social host ordinance committee drafted an ordinance and presented to the Board of Supervisors and it was passed and enacted in Sept. 2013</p>
	<p>Bring "Hidden in Plain Sight" program to local school to educate parents concerning warning signs of substance abuse.</p>	<p>No progress at this time</p>
	<p>Jackson County Prevention Coalition to meet monthly to continue to plan ongoing strategies.</p>	<p>Coalition met seven times over past year with monthly meetings scheduled throughout 2014</p>
	<p>Promote "Be the Wall" program to increase alcohol abuse awareness by working with local restaurant owners. Produce placemats and coasters with the "Be the Wall" message to be utilized in restaurants county wide.</p>	<p>TIPS responsible beverage server trainings held at 9 locations over 9 months with multiple establishments attending at each location in Jackson County.</p>
	<p>Encourage local schools to participate in Red Ribbon Week.</p>	<p>School policy activities; Easton Valley developed new policy as they are a new district. Bellevue Community and Marquette modified their policy. Coalition members presented the Maquoketa School Board on 5/12/14 and work continues with strengthening their alcohol and drug policies.</p>

		Goal evaluation results of the Iowa Youth Survey in 2012 were not favorable to the goal of increasing by 5% the percentage of school students reporting no alcohol consumption in the last 30 days. The comparison group used was 11th graders but in 2010 Maquoketa students did not participate related to a communication error and this is the largest school district in Jackson County. Survey results in 2010 showed 65% answering "yes" and the survey results in 2012 show 63% answering "yes".
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